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SEASONALLY ADJUSTED SERIES

Original and seasonally adjusted statistics are shown for wage and salary earners in civilian employment in Table 2 and for persons registered for employment, etc. in Table 14-16. The methods used in seasonally adjusting these statistics are explained in "Seasonally Adjusted Indicators 1971" (Reference No. 1.10), issued on 2 July 1971.

1. EMPLOYED WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS

NOTE. At the 1971 population census trainee teachers were, for the first time, classified as not in the labour force. They have now been excluded from estimates of employed wage and salary earners and figures shown in this bulletin, for the period July to December 1971, have been revised. In consequence, there is now a break in the series between June and July 1971, the number of males and females excluded in July being approximately 7,000 and 17,000 respectively.

The estimates contained in this section, except those relating to government employees and defence forces, are based on comprehensive data derived for the purpose from the population census of June 1966. The statistics shown for June 1966 are referred to herein as "benchmarks". For the period from July 1966 to date the figures shown are estimates designed to measure month-to-month changes in the sector of employment to which the benchmarks relate.

2. The data needed to derive the estimates for periods subsequent to the benchmark date (June 1966) are obtained from three main sources, namely, (a) current pay-roll tax returns; (b) current returns from government bodies; and (c) some other current returns of employment (e.g. for hospitals); the balance, i.e. unrecorded private employment, is estimated. Month-to-month changes shown by current returns are linked to the benchmark data to derive the monthly estimates. At June 1966 recorded employment obtained from the foregoing sources accounted for about 85 per cent of the total number of employees in the industries covered, as determined by the census.

3. The figures in this section generally relate only to civilian wage and salary earners, not the total labour force. They therefore exclude employers, self-employed persons and unpaid helpers. Also excluded, because of the inadequacy of current data, are employees in agriculture and private domestic service. Defence forces are included in Table 1.

4. Estimates for the period June 1966 to date are not comparable with those for earlier periods, because of (a) the adoption of a new definition of the labour force in the 1966 population census, from which the benchmarks for the current series were derived and (b) the inclusion of full-blood Aborigines. The new definition resulted in the inclusion of a considerable number of part-time employees (mostly females) who had previously been excluded.

5. The concepts and definitions adopted at the 1966 census conformed closely to the recommendations of the Eighth International Conference of Labour Statisticians. At the census the following questions were asked in respect of all persons fifteen years of age and over:

"Did the person have a job or business of any kind last week (even though he may have been temporarily absent from it)?"

"Did the person do any work at all last week for payment or profit?"

Provided he had not been temporarily laid off by his employer without pay for the whole of the week, a person who answered "yes" to either of these questions was classified as employed. Persons in this category who were stated to be "working for wages or salary", except members of the defence forces, or persons employed in agriculture or private domestic service, have been included in the benchmarks for the current series.

6. The June 1966 figures were derived from particulars recorded for individuals on population census schedules, while the estimated monthly changes are derived mainly from reports supplied by employers, relating to enterprises or establishments. Because the two sources differ in some cases in the reporting of industry, the industry dissection of the census totals has been adjusted to conform as closely as possible to an establishment reporting basis. For this reason and because crews of overseas ships were excluded from the benchmarks figures the estimates for June 1966 differ from those published in census bulletins (e.g. No. 9.6) which show particulars of the occupational status and industry of the population, and in other publications which contain population census results. The industry classification used throughout the series is that of the population census of June 1966.

7. Current data supplied by reporting enterprises or establishments generally refer to persons on the pay-roll for the last pay-period in each month. Persons who are on paid leave or who work during part of the pay-period and are unemployed or on strike during the rest of the period are generally counted as employed. Those not shown on employers' payrolls because they are on leave without pay, on strike or stood down for the entire period are excluded.

8. Pay-roll tax returns are lodged at present by all employers paying more than \$400 a week in wages (other than certain Commonwealth, State and Local Government bodies, religious and benevolent institutions, public hospitals and other similar organisations specifically exempted under the Commonwealth and State Pay-roll Tax Acts of 1971).

9. Particulars of employment obtained from other collections, such as the annual manufacturing census and censuses and sample surveys of retail establishments, are used to check and where desirable to revise the estimates. Some figures in this section are subject to further revision as the results of later censuses and surveys become available.

10. Although the series measure reasonably well the short-term trends in employment in the defined field, they may be less reliable for longer-term measurement. There are conceptual differences between benchmark and pay-roll data, and changes in such factors as labour turnover, multiple jobholding and part-time working all affect the trend over longer periods.

11. Detailed industry figures for each State and Australia and the government employment series for the period June 1966 to June 1971 were published in two special bulletins (Reference No. 6.23) issued on 24 April 1970, and 11 January 1972.

12. In due course the estimates for periods prior to the population census of June 1966 will be revised, but on a basis comparable with that of the 1961 census benchmarks, the information needed to revise these benchmarks on the 1966 census basis not being available.

NOTE. 1. Any discrepancies between totals and sums of components in Tables are due to rounding.

2. The following symbols mean:

.. Nil or less than 50 persons.

r Figure or series revised since previous issue.

TABLE 1. - TOTAL CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES AND DEFENCE FORCES : AUSTRALIA
(Excluding employees in agriculture and private domestic service)
('000)

Month	Civilian employees			Defence forces (b)	Total
	Private	Govt (a)	Total		
MALES					
1970 Nov.	2,118.8	(c) 807.1	(c) 2,925.9	80.6	(c) 3,006.5
Dec.	2,129.3	819.0	2,948.3	80.1	3,028.4
1971 Jan.	2,127.6	812.1	2,939.7	81.1	3,020.8
Feb.	2,138.1	818.1	2,956.2	80.9	3,037.1
Mar.	2,143.3	818.3	2,961.6	80.5	3,042.1
Apr.	(c) 2,142.9	817.4	(c) 2,960.3	81.0	(c) 3,041.3
May	2,145.4	817.8	2,963.2	80.8	3,044.0
June	2,142.9	<u>818.0</u>	<u>2,960.9</u>	80.5	<u>3,041.4</u>
July (d)	2,140.4	809.9	2,950.3	81.3	3,031.6
Aug.	2,141.9	809.5	2,951.4	81.0	3,032.4
Sept.	2,143.4	808.9	2,952.3	80.7	3,033.0
Oct.	2,144.2	808.7	2,952.9	80.6	3,033.5
Nov.	2,154.5	811.3	2,965.8	78.7	3,044.5
Dec.	2,148.4	822.3	2,970.7	76.6	3,047.3
FEMALES					
1970 Nov.	1,213.2	282.2	1,495.4	2.7	1,498.1
Dec.	1,219.1	282.2	1,501.3	2.6	1,503.9
1971 Jan.	1,208.8	278.8	1,487.6	2.7	1,490.3
Feb.	1,221.0	287.9	1,508.9	2.7	1,511.6
Mar.	1,227.6	289.8	1,517.4	2.7	1,520.1
Apr.	1,225.9	289.7	1,515.6	2.7	1,518.3
May	1,227.7	289.7	1,517.4	2.7	1,520.1
June	1,225.8	<u>291.1</u>	<u>1,516.9</u>	2.7	<u>1,519.6</u>
July (d)	1,224.4	275.0	1,499.4	2.7	1,502.1
Aug.	1,226.2	275.9	1,502.1	2.8	1,504.9
Sept.	1,231.1	276.7	1,507.8	2.8	1,510.6
Oct.	1,236.4	277.3	1,513.7	2.8	1,516.5
Nov.	1,245.2	279.5	1,524.7	2.8	1,527.5
Dec.	1,243.1	278.3	1,521.4	2.7	1,524.1
PERSONS					
1970 Nov.	3,332.0	(c) 1,089.3	(c) 4,421.3	83.3	(c) 4,504.6
Dec.	3,348.5	1,101.1	4,449.6	82.7	4,532.3
1971 Jan.	3,336.4	1,090.9	4,427.3	83.8	4,511.1
Feb.	3,359.1	1,106.0	4,465.1	83.6	4,548.7
Mar.	3,370.9	1,108.1	4,479.0	83.2	4,562.2
Apr.	(c) 3,368.8	1,107.1	(c) 4,475.9	83.7	(c) 4,559.6
May	3,373.1	1,107.5	4,480.6	83.5	4,564.1
June	3,368.7	<u>1,109.1</u>	<u>4,477.8</u>	83.2	<u>4,561.0</u>
July (d)	3,364.8	1,084.9	4,449.7	84.0	4,533.7
Aug.	3,368.1	1,085.4	4,453.5	83.8	4,537.3
Sept.	3,374.5	1,085.6	4,460.1	83.5	4,543.6
Oct.	3,380.6	1,086.0	4,466.6	83.4	4,550.0
Nov.	3,399.7	1,090.8	4,490.5	81.5	4,572.0
Dec.	3,391.6	1,100.5	4,492.1	79.3	4,571.4

(a) Includes employees, within Australia, of government bodies (Commonwealth, State, local and semi-government) on services such as railways, road transport, banks, post-office, air transport, education (including universities), broadcasting, television, police, public works, factories, departmental hospitals and institutions, migrant hostels, etc., as well as administrative employees. (b) Permanent defence forces in Australia and overseas. Includes national servicemen enlisted in the Regular Army Supplement. Where the intake occurred at the end of the month, national servicemen have been included in the defence forces figures in the following month. (c) Affected by industrial dispute. (d) From July 1971 excludes trainee teachers, some of whom were classified as wage and salary earners for earlier periods. See NOTE on page 2.

TABLE 2. - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT : SEASONALLY ADJUSTED SERIES, AUSTRALIA
(Excluding defence forces and employees in agriculture and private domestic service)

('000)

Month	Total civilian employees (a)			Private/Government (persons)		Principal industries (persons)	
	Males	Females	Persons	Private	Govt (a)(b)	Manufacturing	Commerce
ORIGINAL							
1971 July	2,950.3	1,499.4	4,449.7	3,364.8	1,084.9	1,388.3	745.2
Aug.	2,951.4	1,502.1	4,453.5	3,368.1	1,085.4	1,389.7	744.0
Sept.	2,952.3	1,507.8	4,460.1	3,374.5	1,085.6	1,390.8	746.8
Oct.	2,952.9	1,513.7	4,466.6	3,380.6	1,086.0	1,392.9	749.7
Nov.	2,965.8	1,524.7	4,490.5	3,399.7	1,090.8	1,397.9	759.4
Dec.	2,970.7	1,521.4	4,492.1	3,391.6	1,100.5	1,383.8	770.0
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED (b)							
1971 July	2,956.5	1,504.1	4,460.4	3,376.2	1,084.2	1,392.0	751.4
Aug.	2,959.9	1,508.3	4,468.9	3,380.8	1,087.4	1,394.0	749.9
Sept.	2,961.8	1,513.0	4,475.0	3,384.1	1,090.6	1,393.5	751.1
Oct.	2,964.1	1,515.7	4,479.6	3,385.8	1,093.4	1,394.6	751.0
Nov.	2,966.3	1,517.1	4,483.7	3,386.5	1,096.8	1,395.2	749.0
Dec.	2,957.0	1,515.3	4,470.8	3,379.1	1,094.6	1,388.7	749.1

(a) Excludes trainee teachers, some of whom were classified as wage and salary earners for earlier periods. See NOTE on page 2. (b) See note (a), page 4. (c) See paragraph "Seasonally Adjusted Series" at top of page 2.

TABLE 3. - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT : STATES AND TERRITORIES (a)
(Excluding defence forces and employees in agriculture and private domestic service)

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Month	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T. (b)	Australia
MALES									
1970 Nov.	1,103.2	808.8	379.9	268.4	c220.7	88.0	20.1	36.9	c2,925.9
Dec.	1,112.2	815.9	377.9	271.3	224.6	88.9	20.1	37.3	2,948.3
1971 July	1,104.0	808.1	391.4	270.6	228.6	88.6	21.1	38.0	2,950.3
Aug.	1,105.4	807.4	392.0	270.4	228.3	88.5	21.3	38.1	2,951.4
Sept.	1,105.9	808.0	391.2	270.6	229.1	87.8	21.2	38.4	2,952.3
Oct.	1,106.7	808.3	390.3	270.7	229.2	87.8	21.2	38.8	2,952.9
Nov.	1,111.3	812.2	391.3	272.2	230.3	88.3	21.2	39.0	2,965.8
Dec.	1,112.7	817.2	388.2	272.4	231.0	88.8	21.0	39.3	2,970.7
FEMALES									
1970 Nov.	569.5	435.9	176.3	133.2	111.2	39.5	8.3	21.6	1,495.4
Dec.	569.9	438.5	178.4	133.6	110.2	40.8	8.2	21.7	1,501.3
1971 July	566.6	433.9	180.3	134.0	113.6	39.8	8.8	22.3	1,499.4
Aug.	567.2	434.3	181.3	134.2	114.1	39.7	8.9	22.5	1,502.1
Sept.	569.3	435.8	181.9	134.8	114.8	39.7	8.9	22.7	1,507.8
Oct.	572.5	436.9	182.2	135.0	115.7	39.9	8.9	22.6	1,513.7
Nov.	577.7	439.6	182.3	136.5	116.9	40.1	8.9	22.6	1,524.7
Dec.	573.4	441.8	183.2	136.9	114.1	40.6	8.8	22.7	1,521.4
PERSONS									
1970 Nov.	1,672.7	1,244.7	556.2	401.6	c331.9	127.5	28.4	58.5	c4,421.3
Dec.	1,682.1	1,254.4	556.3	404.9	334.8	129.7	28.3	59.0	4,449.6
1971 July	1,670.6	1,242.0	571.7	404.6	342.2	128.4	29.9	60.3	4,449.7
Aug.	1,672.6	1,241.7	573.3	404.6	342.4	128.2	30.2	60.6	4,453.5
Sept.	1,675.2	1,243.8	573.1	405.4	343.9	127.5	30.1	61.1	4,460.1
Oct.	1,679.2	1,245.2	572.5	405.7	344.9	127.7	30.1	61.4	4,466.6
Nov.	1,689.0	1,251.8	573.6	408.7	347.2	128.4	30.1	61.6	4,490.5
Dec.	1,686.1	1,259.0	571.4	409.3	345.1	129.4	29.8	62.0	4,492.1

(a) From July 1971, excludes trainee teachers, some of whom were classified as wage and salary earners for earlier periods. See NOTE on page 2. (b) Includes persons employed in the Australian Capital Territory who reside in adjoining areas. (c) Affected by industrial dispute.

TABLE 4. - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT : INDUSTRY GROUPS AND SUB-GROUPS:

AUSTRALIA, MALES

(Excluding defence forces and employees in agriculture and private domestic service)

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Industry group and sub-group	1971					
	July	August	September	October	November	December
Forestry, fishing and trapping	13.9	13.8	13.5	13.4	13.4	13.6
Mining and quarrying	69.6	69.9	70.0	70.0	70.0	70.3
Coal mining	19.7	19.8	19.9	20.0	20.0	20.0
Other mining and quarrying	49.9	50.1	50.1	50.1	50.0	50.3
Manufacturing (a)	1,033.3	1,033.9	1,034.2	1,034.3	1,038.3	1,029.1
Electricity, gas, water and sanitary services	106.6	106.6	106.6	106.4	106.5	106.8
Gas and electricity	69.4	69.3	69.2	69.1	69.1	69.0
Water supply, sewerage, etc.	37.2	37.3	37.4	37.3	37.4	37.8
Building and construction	360.9	359.4	358.0	358.1	359.2	357.5
Transport and storage	222.1	222.2	222.7	222.5	222.8	222.3
Road transport and storage	98.5	98.9	99.0	99.2	99.3	98.8
Shipping and stevedoring	39.9	39.9	39.9	39.6	39.5	39.0
Rail transport	57.8	57.6	57.7	57.6	57.8	58.2
Air transport	26.0	25.8	26.1	26.0	26.1	26.3
Communication	92.4	92.5	92.2	92.2	92.2	100.3
Finance and property	123.0	122.8	122.3	122.2	122.2	122.3
Banking	56.0	55.6	55.2	55.1	54.9	54.9
Other finance and property	67.0	67.2	67.1	67.1	67.3	67.4
Commerce	423.5	423.3	424.8	425.3	429.6	435.3
Wholesale trade	184.5	184.7	184.9	185.0	185.8	186.3
Primary produce dealing, etc.	24.1	23.8	24.3	24.4	25.7	27.2
Retail trade	215.0	214.8	215.6	215.9	218.1	221.8
Public authority activities (n.e.i.)	137.7	138.1	138.2	138.3	138.8	139.4
Community and business services	253.1	253.4	253.5	253.5	254.5	254.6
Law, order and public safety	40.8	41.0	41.2	41.2	41.5	41.5
Religion and social welfare	20.2	20.3	20.3	20.3	20.3	20.4
Health, hospitals, etc.	47.3	47.3	47.4	47.6	48.1	48.7
Education (b)	96.7	96.7	96.9	97.2	97.4	96.7
Other services	48.1	48.1	47.8	47.2	47.2	47.2
Amusement, hotels, cafes, personal service, etc.	114.3	115.4	116.4	116.8	118.1	119.2
Amusement, sport and recreation	34.7	35.0	35.5	35.5	35.8	35.8
Hotels, personal service, etc.	79.6	80.4	80.9	81.3	82.2	83.4
All industries	2,950.3	2,951.4	2,952.3	2,952.9	2,965.8	2,970.7

For footnotes see page 8.

TABLE 4. - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT : INDUSTRY GROUPS AND SUB-GROUPS:

AUSTRALIA - CONTINUED, FEMALES

(Excluding defence forces and employees in agriculture and private domestic service)

('000)

Industry group and sub-group	1971					
	July	August	September	October	November	December
Forestry, fishing and trapping	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6
Mining and quarrying	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9
Coal mining	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Other mining and quarrying	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5
Manufacturing (a)	355.0	355.8	356.6	358.6	359.6	354.6
Electricity, gas, water and sanitary services	8.5	8.5	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.5
Gas and electricity	6.4	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3
Water supply, sewerage, etc.	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1
Building and construction	17.6	17.7	17.9	18.1	18.2	18.0
Transport and storage	28.3	28.5	28.4	28.4	28.5	28.6
Road transport and storage	12.4	12.5	12.6	12.5	12.6	12.6
Shipping and stevedoring	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2
Rail transport	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.2
Air transport	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.6
Communication	27.3	27.4	27.5	28.0	28.3	29.5
Finance and property	93.7	93.1	92.6	92.0	92.4	92.6
Banking	35.7	35.2	34.9	34.7	34.9	35.2
Other finance and property	58.1	57.8	57.7	57.3	57.6	57.4
Commerce	321.7	320.7	322.0	324.3	329.8	334.7
Wholesale trade	79.8	79.7	79.7	79.7	80.5	80.2
Primary produce dealing, etc.	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	7.0
Retail trade	235.1	234.3	235.5	237.9	242.6	247.5
Public authority activities (n.e.i.)	63.9	64.3	64.4	64.4	65.6	66.2
Community and business services	413.2	414.6	416.9	417.3	418.4	413.7
Law, order and public safety	22.6	22.7	22.8	22.9	23.2	23.3
Religion and social welfare	22.0	22.0	22.1	22.2	22.2	22.3
Health, hospitals, etc.	192.2	193.2	194.9	195.3	196.1	196.0
Education (b)	132.3	132.4	132.7	132.9	133.3	129.5
Other services	44.2	44.3	44.3	44.0	43.6	42.6
Amusement, hotels, cafes, personal service, etc.	164.6	166.0	167.7	168.7	170.0	169.4
Amusement, sport and recreation	21.7	21.8	22.1	22.4	22.3	22.0
Hotels, personal service, etc.	142.9	144.2	145.6	146.4	147.7	147.4
All industries	1,499.4	1,502.1	1,507.8	1,513.7	1,524.7	1,521.4

For footnotes see page 8.

TABLE 4. - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT : INDUSTRY GROUPS AND SUB-GROUPS:

AUSTRALIA - CONTINUED, PERSONS

(Excluding defence forces and employees in agriculture and private domestic service)

('000)

Industry group and sub-group	1971					
	July	August	September	October	November	December
Forestry, fishing and trapping	14.5	14.4	14.0	13.9	14.0	14.2
Mining and quarrying	74.5	74.8	74.8	74.9	74.9	75.2
Coal mining	20.0	20.1	20.2	20.3	20.3	20.4
Other mining and quarrying	54.5	54.7	54.6	54.6	54.6	54.8
Manufacturing (a)	1,388.3	1,389.7	1,390.8	1,392.9	1,397.9	1,383.8
Electricity, gas, water and sanitary services	115.0	115.0	115.0	114.8	114.9	115.3
Gas and electricity	75.7	75.7	75.5	75.4	75.4	75.3
Water supply, sewerage, etc.	39.3	39.4	39.5	39.4	39.5	40.0
Building and construction	378.6	377.1	376.0	376.1	377.4	375.6
Transport and storage	250.4	250.7	251.2	250.8	251.4	250.9
Road transport and storage	110.9	111.4	111.6	111.7	111.9	111.4
Shipping and stevedoring	43.1	43.2	43.1	42.8	42.8	42.2
Rail transport	63.9	63.8	63.9	63.7	64.0	64.4
Air transport	32.5	32.4	32.6	32.6	32.7	32.8
Communication	119.7	119.9	119.7	120.2	120.5	129.8
Finance and property	216.7	215.9	214.9	214.2	214.7	214.9
Banking	91.7	90.9	90.1	89.8	89.7	90.1
Other finance and property	125.0	125.0	124.7	124.5	124.9	124.7
Commerce	745.2	744.0	746.8	749.7	759.4	770.0
Wholesale trade	264.3	264.4	264.6	264.7	266.3	266.5
Primary produce dealing, etc.	30.8	30.5	31.0	31.1	32.5	34.1
Retail trade	450.1	449.1	451.1	453.8	460.7	469.3
Public authority activities (n.e.i.)	201.6	202.4	202.6	202.7	204.4	205.6
Community and business services	666.2	668.0	670.4	670.9	673.0	668.2
Law, order and public safety	63.4	63.7	63.9	64.1	64.6	64.8
Religion and social welfare	42.2	42.3	42.4	42.5	42.6	42.6
Health, hospitals, etc.	239.4	240.5	242.3	242.9	244.3	244.8
Education (b)	229.0	229.2	229.6	230.1	230.7	226.2
Other services	92.3	92.4	92.1	91.2	90.8	89.8
Amusement, hotels, cafes, personal service, etc.	278.9	281.4	284.1	285.5	288.1	288.7
Amusement, sport and recreation	56.4	56.8	57.6	57.9	58.1	57.8
Hotels, personal service, etc.	222.5	224.7	226.5	227.7	229.9	230.9
All industries	4,449.7	4,453.5	4,460.1	4,466.6	4,490.5	4,492.1

(a) For particulars of employees in the principal manufacturing sub-groups see page 9. (b) Excludes trainee teachers, some of whom were classified as wage and salary earners for earlier periods. See NOTE on page 2.

TABLE 5. - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT : MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY, PRINCIPAL SUB-GROUPS

AUSTRALIA
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Sub-group	MALES			FEMALES			PERSONS		
	1971			1971			1971		
	October	November	December	October	November	December	October	November	December
Cement, bricks, etc.	49.9	49.9	49.6	6.3	6.3	6.3	56.2	56.3	55.9
Products of petroleum and coal	8.7	8.8	8.7	0.5	0.5	0.5	9.2	9.3	9.2
Founding, engineering, metal working	351.1	351.8	349.5	80.1	80.2	79.2	431.2	432.1	428.7
Extracting, refining, founding, etc., (a) -									
(i) Ferrous	71.9	71.7	71.0	5.5	5.5	5.5	77.4	77.2	76.4
(ii) Non-ferrous	20.4	20.4	20.5	2.2	2.2	2.2	22.6	22.6	22.7
Metal products	104.0	104.8	104.3	24.1	24.2	23.9	128.1	129.0	128.2
Machinery and parts	100.9	101.1	100.4	17.3	17.5	17.2	118.2	118.6	117.7
Electronic and electrical apparatus and machinery	53.9	53.8	53.4	31.0	30.8	30.3	84.9	84.7	83.7
Ships, vehicles, etc.	r175.4	r175.5	174.4	21.6	21.6	21.3	r197.0	r197.1	195.7
Yarns, textiles, etc.	28.6	28.8	28.7	22.8	23.0	22.7	51.4	51.7	51.4
Clothing and knitted goods	17.5	17.6	17.5	74.6	74.5	73.7	92.1	92.1	91.3
Boots, shoes and accessories	8.8	8.9	8.9	10.3	10.3	10.2	19.2	19.2	19.1
Food, drink and tobacco	144.1	145.8	141.4	52.6	52.6	51.6	196.6	198.4	193.0
Sawmilling and wood products	44.4	44.7	44.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	49.0	49.3	49.2
Furniture, fittings, etc.	24.9	25.2	25.1	6.9	6.9	6.8	31.7	32.1	32.0
Paper, printing, bookbinding, photography	80.8	81.0	80.4	32.4	32.7	32.3	113.3	113.7	112.6
Chemicals, dyes, explosives, paints, etc.	44.3	44.3	44.2	16.5	16.7	16.4	60.7	61.0	60.5
Rubber goods	17.3	17.3	17.3	4.4	4.4	4.3	21.7	21.6	21.5
Other manufacturing (b)	38.5	38.8	38.8	25.0	25.3	24.8	63.4	64.1	63.6
<u>TOTAL</u>	r1,034.3	r1,038.3	1,029.1	358.6	359.6	354.6	r1,392.9	r1,397.9	1,383.8

(a) Includes manufacture of metal rods, bars, sheets, pipes, tubes and wire (except electric). (b) Comprises jewellery, watchmaking, etc.; skins and leather (other than clothing or footwear); musical, surgical and scientific instruments, etc.; plastic products; and other manufacturing.

TABLE 6. - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT

INDUSTRY GROUPS, NORTHERN TERRITORY

(Excluding defence forces and employees in agriculture and private domestic service)

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	1971							
	September		October		November		December	
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females
Mining and quarrying	2.0	0.1	2.1	0.1	2.1	0.1	2.1	0.1
Manufacturing	1.6	0.4	1.5	0.4	1.6	0.3	1.5	0.3
Building and construction	5.9	0.2	5.8	0.2	5.7	0.2	5.6	0.2
Transport and storage	2.0	0.3	2.0	0.3	1.9	0.4	1.9	0.4
Commerce	1.4	1.7	1.4	1.7	1.4	1.6	1.3	1.6
Public authority activities (n.e.i.)	2.1	1.1	2.1	1.1	2.1	1.1	2.1	1.1
Community and business services	3.7	3.3	3.7	3.3	3.7	3.3	3.7	3.3
Other industries (a)	2.6	1.8	2.7	1.8	2.7	1.8	2.7	1.8
Total	21.2	8.9	21.2	8.9	21.2	8.9	21.0	8.8

(a) Comprises forestry, fishing and trapping; electricity, gas, water and sanitary services; communication; finance and property; and amusement, hotels, cafes and personal service.

TABLE 7. - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT

INDUSTRY GROUPS, AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

(Excluding defence forces and employees in agriculture and private domestic service)

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Month	Manufacturing	Building and Construction	Commerce	Public authority activities (n.e.i.)	Community and business services (a)	Amusement, hotels, cafes, personal service, etc.	Other industries (b)	Total
MALES								
1971 - July	4.2	6.2	3.3	13.3	5.1	2.0	3.9	38.0
Aug.	4.1	6.3	3.3	13.4	5.1	2.0	3.9	38.1
Sept.	4.1	6.4	3.4	13.4	5.1	2.0	4.0	38.4
Oct.	4.1	6.5	3.6	13.5	5.1	2.0	4.0	38.8
Nov.	4.1	6.5	3.6	13.6	5.1	2.0	4.0	39.0
Dec.	4.1	6.5	3.7	13.7	5.1	2.1	4.1	39.3
FEMALES								
1971 - July	1.0	0.3	2.9	7.7	6.7	2.2	1.5	22.3
Aug.	1.0	0.3	2.8	7.8	6.7	2.3	1.5	22.5
Sept.	1.1	0.4	2.9	7.9	6.7	2.3	1.5	22.7
Oct.	1.1	0.4	3.0	7.8	6.6	2.3	1.5	22.6
Nov.	1.0	0.4	3.0	7.9	6.5	2.3	1.4	22.6
Dec.	1.0	0.4	3.0	8.0	6.5	2.3	1.6	22.7

(a) Excludes trainee teachers, some of whom were classified as wage and salary earners for earlier periods. See NOTE on page 2. (b) Comprises forestry, fishing and trapping; mining and quarrying; electricity, gas, water and sanitary services; transport and storage; communication; and finance and property.

TABLE 8. - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT : INDUSTRY GROUPS AND SUB-GROUPS

STATES, MALES, DECEMBER 1971

(Excluding defence forces and employees in agriculture and private domestic service)

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Industry group and sub-group	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust. (a)
Forestry, fishing and trapping	3.3	2.7	3.7	0.8	1.5	1.0	13.6
Mining and quarrying	26.7	4.6	15.1	3.0	13.7	4.9	70.3
Manufacturing	397.7	327.6	101.9	109.6	59.1	27.6	1,029.1
Cement, bricks, etc.	21.2	12.8	5.7	4.2	4.0	1.1	49.6
Founding, engineering, etc.	157.9	95.8	26.9	40.5	20.3	7.2	349.5
Ships, vehicles, etc.	54.6	60.9	17.5	28.8	9.5	2.3	174.4
Yarns, textiles, etc.	8.0	15.8	1.0	1.7	0.5	1.6	28.7
Clothing and knitted goods	6.0	9.9	0.8	0.6	0.2	0.1	17.5
Food, drink and tobacco	45.9	44.3	24.2	12.8	9.2	4.3	141.4
Sawmilling and wood products	14.4	9.9	7.7	5.0	4.2	3.4	44.6
Paper, printing, bookbinding, photography	30.3	26.1	7.3	5.3	4.0	5.8	80.4
Chemicals, dyes, explosives, paints, etc.	21.2	15.6	2.1	2.4	1.9	0.8	44.2
Other manufacturing (b)	38.1	36.6	8.9	8.3	5.3	1.1	98.8
Electricity, gas, water and sanitary services	41.3	31.1	11.5	10.7	7.3	3.9	106.8
Building and construction	129.4	80.1	62.4	29.5	32.9	11.1	357.5
Transport and storage	85.7	54.5	32.1	18.4	21.7	6.8	222.3
Road transport and storage	39.1	24.6	12.9	8.3	9.4	3.0	98.8
Shipping and stevedoring	14.0	9.5	5.5	3.3	4.5	1.9	39.0
Rail and air transport	32.6	20.5	13.6	6.8	7.8	1.9	84.5
Communication	36.1	28.0	14.3	9.1	8.3	2.9	100.3
Finance and property	47.4	35.5	15.7	10.3	8.6	3.2	122.3
Banking	20.6	16.3	7.0	4.8	4.0	1.5	54.9
Other	26.8	19.2	8.8	5.5	4.6	1.7	67.4
Commerce	159.2	120.4	62.7	40.0	36.2	11.9	435.3
Retail trade	81.6	61.6	32.9	20.0	16.3	6.2	221.8
Wholesale and other commerce	77.6	58.8	29.7	20.0	19.8	5.7	213.4
Public authority activities (n.e.i.)	45.2	33.2	19.8	9.6	11.5	4.3	139.4
Community and business services	89.6	69.4	35.5	22.5	21.0	7.7	254.6
Health, hospitals, etc.	17.4	12.9	7.1	4.3	4.3	1.8	48.7
Education (c)	31.8	29.1	13.4	8.7	7.3	2.9	96.7
Other (d)	40.4	27.3	14.9	9.5	9.4	3.0	109.1
Amusement, hotels, cafes, personal service, etc.	50.9	30.2	13.6	8.9	9.2	3.5	119.2
All industries	1,112.7	817.2	388.2	272.4	231.0	88.8	2,970.7

For footnotes see page 13.

TABLE 8. - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT : INDUSTRY GROUPS AND SUB-GROUPS

STATES - CONTINUED, FEMALES, DECEMBER 1971

(Excluding defence forces and employees in agriculture and private domestic service)

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Industry group and sub-group	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust. (a)
Forestry, fishing and trapping	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.6
Mining and quarrying	1.3	0.7	1.1	0.2	1.2	0.2	4.9
Manufacturing	140.6	138.4	25.4	28.9	13.4	6.6	354.6
Cement, bricks, etc.	2.9	2.0	0.4	0.6	0.4	0.1	6.3
Founding, engineering, etc.	37.8	24.8	4.0	9.0	2.5	0.8	79.2
Ships, vehicles, etc.	7.0	9.1	1.3	2.8	0.7	0.2	21.3
Yarns, textiles, etc.	6.4	11.5	1.2	1.3	0.2	2.1	22.7
Clothing and knitted goods	27.7	37.3	4.7	2.5	1.4	0.2	73.7
Food, drink and tobacco	17.2	16.5	6.2	5.6	4.2	1.6	51.6
Sawmilling and wood products	1.4	1.0	1.1	0.5	0.4	0.2	4.6
Paper, printing, bookbinding, photography	13.0	10.7	3.1	2.1	1.7	1.1	32.3
Chemicals, dyes, explosives, paints, etc.	9.4	5.3	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.1	16.4
Other manufacturing (b)	17.8	20.3	2.8	3.8	1.5	0.3	46.7
Electricity, gas, water and sanitary services	3.5	2.6	0.9	0.6	0.5	0.3	8.5
Building and construction	6.9	4.2	2.7	1.3	2.1	0.3	18.0
Transport and storage	12.5	7.0	3.7	2.3	2.1	0.5	28.6
Road transport and storage	5.3	3.3	1.7	1.1	0.9	0.3	12.6
Shipping and stevedoring	1.4	0.7	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.1	3.2
Rail and air transport	5.9	3.0	1.6	1.0	0.8	0.2	12.8
Communication	11.0	8.4	3.9	2.5	2.3	0.9	29.5
Finance and property	37.9	25.5	11.7	7.2	6.9	2.2	92.6
Banking	14.7	9.1	4.4	2.5	2.9	0.9	35.2
Other	23.1	16.4	7.2	4.6	4.0	1.3	57.4
Commerce	124.1	87.7	46.2	33.2	29.9	9.1	334.7
Retail trade	88.5	63.4	35.5	25.9	22.4	7.6	247.5
Wholesale and other commerce	35.6	24.3	10.7	7.2	7.5	1.5	87.2
Public authority activities (n.e.i.)	24.2	14.2	7.5	4.4	4.9	1.8	66.2
Community and business services	151.1	111.5	53.7	40.5	34.4	12.7	413.7
Health, hospitals, etc.	73.1	49.4	24.9	20.9	18.3	6.4	196.0
Education (c)	44.0	37.8	17.4	12.9	8.8	4.3	129.5
Other (d)	34.0	24.3	11.5	6.7	7.3	2.1	88.2
Amusement, hotels, cafes, personal service, etc.	60.2	41.5	26.4	15.8	16.3	5.7	169.4
All industries	573.4	441.8	183.2	136.9	114.1	40.6	1,521.4

For footnotes see page 13.

TABLE 8. - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT : INDUSTRY GROUPS AND SUB-GROUPS

STATES - CONTINUED, PERSONS, DECEMBER 1971

(Excluding defence forces and employees in agriculture and private domestic service)

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Industry group and sub-group	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust. (a)
Forestry, fishing and trapping	3.5	2.8	3.8	0.9	1.6	1.1	14.2
Mining and quarrying	28.0	5.2	16.2	3.2	14.9	5.2	75.2
Manufacturing	538.3	466.0	127.3	138.5	72.5	34.3	1,383.8
Cement, bricks, etc.	24.1	14.7	6.0	4.8	4.4	1.2	55.9
Founding, engineering, etc.	195.8	120.6	30.9	49.5	22.9	7.9	428.7
Ships, vehicles, etc.	61.6	70.0	18.8	31.7	10.2	2.5	195.7
Yarns, textiles, etc.	14.4	27.3	2.2	3.0	0.7	3.7	51.4
Clothing and knitted goods	33.7	47.1	5.5	3.0	1.6	0.3	91.3
Food, drink and tobacco	63.2	60.8	30.4	18.4	13.4	5.9	193.0
Sawmilling and wood products	15.8	10.9	8.7	5.5	4.5	3.5	49.2
Paper, printing, bookbinding, photography	43.3	36.8	10.4	7.4	5.7	6.9	112.6
Chemicals, dyes, explosives, paints, etc.	30.6	20.9	2.7	3.1	2.3	0.9	60.5
Other manufacturing (b)	55.9	56.9	11.7	12.1	6.8	1.4	145.5
Electricity, gas, water and sanitary services	44.8	33.7	12.4	11.2	7.7	4.2	115.3
Building and construction	136.3	84.3	65.1	30.8	34.9	11.4	375.6
Transport and storage	98.3	61.5	35.8	20.7	23.8	7.3	250.9
Road transport and storage	44.4	27.9	14.6	9.3	10.4	3.3	111.4
Shipping and stevedoring	15.4	10.2	6.0	3.6	4.8	2.0	42.2
Rail and air transport	38.5	23.4	15.2	7.8	8.7	2.1	97.3
Communication	47.1	36.4	18.2	11.6	10.6	3.9	129.8
Finance and property	85.3	61.0	27.4	17.4	15.5	5.4	214.9
Banking	35.4	25.4	11.4	7.3	6.9	2.4	90.1
Other	49.9	35.6	16.0	10.1	8.6	3.0	124.7
Commerce	283.3	208.1	108.8	73.2	66.0	21.0	770.0
Retail trade	170.1	125.1	68.4	46.0	38.7	13.8	469.3
Wholesale and other commerce	113.2	83.0	40.4	27.2	27.3	7.2	300.6
Public authority activities (n.e.i.)	69.4	47.4	27.4	14.0	16.4	6.1	205.6
Community and business services	240.6	180.9	89.2	63.0	55.5	20.4	668.2
Health, hospitals, etc.	90.5	62.3	32.0	25.2	22.7	8.2	244.8
Education (c)	75.8	66.9	30.8	21.6	16.1	7.2	226.2
Other (d)	74.3	51.7	26.4	16.2	16.7	5.0	197.2
Amusement, hotels, cafes, personal service, etc.	111.2	71.7	39.9	24.7	25.5	9.2	288.7
All industries	1,686.1	1,259.0	571.4	409.3	345.1	129.4	4,492.1

(a) Includes the Northern Territory and the Australian Capital Territory. (b) Comprises products of petroleum and coal; boots, shoes and accessories; furniture, fittings, bedding and furnishing drapery; jewellery, watchmaking, etc.; skins and leather (other than clothing or footwear); rubber goods; musical, surgical and scientific instruments, etc.; plastic products; and other manufacturing. (c) Excludes trainee teachers, some of whom were classified as wage and salary earners for earlier periods. See NOTE on page 2. (d) Comprises law, order and public safety; religion and social welfare; and other community and business services.

TABLE 9. - CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES OF COMMONWEALTH BODIES : DECEMBER 1971
 PART 1 - TOTAL FULL-TIME STAFF EMPLOYED UNDER THE COMMONWEALTH PUBLIC SERVICE ACT
 (EXCLUDING DEPARTMENTS OF THE PARLIAMENT) IN AUSTRALIA AND OVERSEAS

Body	Males	Females	Persons
A. SPECIAL SERVICES			
Postmaster-General's Works	96,593	22,731	119,324
Civil Aviation	12,721	1,131	13,852
Repatriation	8,699	790	9,489
Social Services	4,513	5,112	9,625
Housing	2,397	2,178	4,575
	811	394	1,205
<u>Special services sub-total</u>	125,734	32,336	158,070
B. OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES			
Attorney-General's (a)	1,269	691	1,960
Office of the Commissioner of Trade Practices	60	25	85
Parliamentary Counsel	22	16	38
Customs and Excise	4,070	735	4,805
Education and Science (a)	663	784	1,447
Australian Universities Commission	18	16	34
Environment, Aborigines and the Arts (a)	222	123	345
Australian Government Publishing Service	569	241	810
National Library of Australia	178	411	589
External Territories	297	185	482
Foreign Affairs	1,734	1,135	2,869
Health	2,127	2,750	4,877
Immigration (a)	1,246	877	2,123
Migrant Centres	2	..	2
Interior (a)	3,408	929	4,337
Bureau of Meteorology	1,554	313	1,867
Electoral Branch	323	59	382
News and Information Bureau	240	73	313
Northern Territory Administration	1,854	823	2,677
Labour and National Service (a)	752	742	1,494
Employment Branch	1,224	516	1,740
National Development (a)	779	220	999
Bureau of Mineral Resources	475	124	599
Primary Industry	2,147	249	2,396
Prime Minister and Cabinet	190	189	379
Auditor-General's Office	499	45	544
Public Service Board (a)	518	375	893
Typist Training Schools
P.M.G. - Australian Broadcasting Control Board	135	53	188
Shipping and Transport	988	168	1,156
Trade and Industry (a)	862	347	1,209
Tariff Board	124	39	163
Treasury (a)	1,166	734	1,900
Bureau of Census and Statistics (b)	1,978	2,191	4,169
Taxation Office	6,482	4,147	10,629
<u>Other administrative services sub-total</u>	38,175	20,325	58,500
C. DEFENCE SERVICES			
Air	4,156	1,684	5,840
Army	7,880	2,551	10,431
Navy	1,858	1,300	3,158
Defence	1,046	662	1,708
Supply	7,986	2,108	10,094
<u>Defence services sub-total</u>	22,926	8,305	31,231
<u>Total under Public Service Act</u>	186,835	60,966	247,801

(a) Excludes branch(es) shown separately. (b) Includes about 900 temporary staff employed on Population Census processing.

TABLE 9. - CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES OF COMMONWEALTH BODIES : DECEMBER 1971

PART 2 - STAFF (IN AUSTRALIA) EMPLOYED UNDER OTHER ACTS

Body	Males	Females	Persons
DEPARTMENTS			
Attorney-General's	974	5	979
Interior	768	21	789
Navy (docks, factories, etc.)	8,862	239	9,101
Supply (munitions factories, weapons research, etc.)	8,526	2,312	10,838
Other Departments	157	85	242
Total, Departments	19,287	2,662	21,949
OTHER BODIES			
Australian Atomic Energy Commission	1,088	153	1,241
Australian Broadcasting Commission	4,091	1,613	5,704
Australian Coastal Shipping Commission	1,766	114	1,880
Australian Services Canteens Organisation	421	809	1,230
A.C.T. Electricity Authority	479	77	556
Canberra Hospital	172	1,247	1,419
Commonwealth Banking Corporation	13,179	8,832	22,011
Commonwealth Hostels Ltd	944	1,118	2,062
Commonwealth Railways	3,650	289	3,939
Commonwealth Serum Laboratories Commission	678	285	963
C.S.I.R.O.	4,922	1,546	6,468
Overseas Telecommunications Commission	1,462	223	1,685
Qantas Airways Ltd	8,439	1,790	10,229
Reserve Bank of Australia	1,791	1,511	3,302
Snowy Mountains Hydro-electric Authority	1,391	143	1,534
Trans-Australia Airlines	5,132	1,683	6,815
Other (a)	4,280	3,721	8,001
Total, other bodies	53,885	25,154	79,039
Total under other Acts	73,172	27,816	100,988
GRAND TOTAL (b)	260,007	88,782	348,789

(a) Includes employees of the Departments of the Parliament, who are appointed under the Public Service Act but to whom special provisions apply. Also includes Northern Territory and Australian Capital Territory teachers, the Australian National University and the Canberra College of Advanced Education.

(b) These totals differ from those shown in table 10 because, for persons employed under the Public Service Act, all part-time employees are excluded and employees overseas are included.

TABLE 10. - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT

(i) COMMONWEALTH GOVERNMENT BODIES (a)

Month	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T. (b)	Australia
MALES									
1971 - July	82.4	68.9	25.5	22.6	14.7	5.2	7.0	22.9	249.2
Aug.	82.4	68.9	25.5	22.6	14.7	5.2	7.0	23.0	249.3
Sept.	82.3	68.7	25.4	22.7	14.7	5.2	7.0	23.0	248.9
Oct.	82.1	68.8	25.4	22.7	14.6	5.2	7.0	23.0	248.8
Nov.	82.0	68.7	25.4	22.7	14.7	5.2	7.1	23.3	249.0
Dec.	85.0	70.4	26.6	23.6	15.5	5.3	7.1	23.4	257.0
FEMALES									
1971 - July	28.5	22.6	8.3	6.1	5.1	1.7	3.1	13.8	89.1
Aug.	28.6	22.8	8.4	6.1	5.1	1.7	3.2	13.8	89.6
Sept.	29.0	22.4	8.3	6.1	5.1	1.7	3.2	13.8	89.6
Oct.	29.4	22.5	8.3	6.1	5.1	1.7	3.1	13.8	90.0
Nov.	29.9	22.4	8.3	6.1	5.1	1.7	3.2	13.8	90.5
Dec.	30.3	22.9	8.4	6.1	5.1	1.7	3.2	13.9	91.5
PERSONS									
1971 - July	110.9	91.4	33.7	28.7	19.8	6.9	10.1	36.7	338.3
Aug.	111.1	91.6	33.9	28.7	19.8	6.9	10.2	36.7	339.0
Sept.	111.2	91.0	33.7	28.8	19.9	6.9	10.2	36.8	338.5
Oct.	111.5	91.3	33.7	28.8	19.8	6.9	10.1	36.8	338.8
Nov.	111.9	91.1	33.7	28.8	19.8	6.9	10.3	37.1	339.5
Dec.	115.3	93.3	34.9	29.7	20.7	7.0	10.3	37.3	348.5

(a) See note (a) page 4. Excludes defence forces. Includes semi-government bodies.

(b) See NOTE on page 2 regarding the exclusion of trainee teachers.

(ii) STATE GOVERNMENT BODIES (a)(b)

Month	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Australia
MALES							
1971 - July	163.0	120.0	71.0	49.5	47.3	18.2	469.0
Aug.	162.9	119.5	71.0	49.5	47.3	18.3	468.6
Sept.	162.8	119.3	71.1	49.6	47.5	18.1	468.4
Oct.	162.5	119.2	70.8	49.6	47.7	18.2	468.0
Nov.	163.3	119.3	71.1	49.8	47.8	18.3	469.6
Dec.	164.2	120.0	71.0	49.9	47.5	18.3	470.9
FEMALES							
1971 - July	63.8	40.3	21.7	22.9	17.3	6.5	172.4
Aug.	64.5	40.2	21.6	22.8	17.2	6.5	172.8
Sept.	64.4	40.4	21.8	22.8	17.5	6.6	173.5
Oct.	64.5	40.4	21.9	22.7	17.6	6.6	173.7
Nov.	65.7	40.1	22.0	23.0	17.7	6.6	175.2
Dec.	65.6	40.1	22.6	22.6	15.5	6.4	172.8
PERSONS							
1971 - July	226.8	160.2	92.7	72.4	64.6	24.7	641.4
Aug.	227.4	159.7	92.7	72.4	64.5	24.7	641.4
Sept.	227.2	159.7	92.9	72.4	65.0	24.7	641.9
Oct.	227.1	159.5	92.7	72.4	65.3	24.8	641.7
Nov.	229.0	159.4	93.1	72.8	65.5	24.9	644.8
Dec.	229.9	160.1	93.6	72.5	63.0	24.7	643.7

(a) See note (a) page 4. Includes semi-government bodies. Excludes State Government employees (2.6 thousand persons in December 1971) engaged in agriculture. Also excludes defence forces. (b) See NOTE on page 2 regarding the exclusion of trainee teachers.

TABLE 10. - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT - continued

(iii) LOCAL GOVERNMENT BODIES (a)

Month	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	Australia
MALES								
1971 - July	44.5	16.6	18.1	4.3	5.6	2.4	0.1	91.7
Aug.	44.6	16.5	18.0	4.3	5.6	2.4	0.1	91.6
Sept.	44.6	16.5	18.1	4.2	5.6	2.4	0.1	91.6
Oct.	44.7	16.6	18.2	4.3	5.6	2.4	0.1	91.9
Nov.	44.9	17.0	18.0	4.5	5.7	2.4	0.1	92.7
Dec.	46.1	17.1	18.2	4.5	5.8	2.5	0.1	94.4
FEMALES								
1971 - July	6.1	3.5	1.7	0.8	1.0	0.3	..	13.5
Aug.	6.1	3.5	1.7	0.8	1.0	0.3	..	13.5
Sept.	6.1	3.5	1.7	0.8	1.0	0.4	..	13.6
Oct.	6.1	3.5	1.7	0.8	1.1	0.3	..	13.6
Nov.	6.2	3.6	1.7	0.8	1.1	0.4	..	13.8
Dec.	6.2	3.7	1.7	0.8	1.1	0.4	..	13.9
PERSONS								
1971 - July	50.6	20.1	19.8	5.1	6.7	2.8	0.1	105.2
Aug.	50.7	20.0	19.7	5.1	6.6	2.8	0.1	105.1
Sept.	50.7	20.1	19.9	5.0	6.6	2.8	0.1	105.2
Oct.	50.9	20.1	19.9	5.1	6.7	2.8	0.1	105.5
Nov.	51.1	20.6	19.7	5.3	6.8	2.8	0.1	106.5
Dec.	52.4	20.8	19.9	5.3	6.9	2.8	0.1	108.3

(a) See note (a) page 4. Excludes local government employees (1.8 thousand persons in December 1971) engaged in private homes as employees of government emergency housekeeper services. Also excludes defence forces.

(iv) GOVERNMENT BODIES (a)(b)

Month	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Australia
MALES									
1971 - July	290.0	205.4	114.5	76.5	67.7	25.9	7.1	22.9	809.9
Aug.	289.9	204.9	114.6	76.4	67.6	25.9	7.1	23.0	809.5
Sept.	289.7	204.5	114.6	76.5	67.8	25.7	7.1	23.0	808.9
Oct.	289.4	204.5	114.3	76.6	67.9	25.8	7.1	23.0	808.7
Nov.	290.2	205.0	114.5	76.9	68.2	25.9	7.2	23.3	811.3
Dec.	295.4	207.4	115.8	78.0	68.9	26.1	7.2	23.4	822.3
FEMALES									
1971 - July	98.3	66.4	31.6	29.8	23.5	8.5	3.2	13.8	275.0
Aug.	99.2	66.4	31.7	29.7	23.4	8.5	3.2	13.8	275.9
Sept.	99.5	66.3	31.8	29.7	23.7	8.6	3.2	13.8	276.7
Oct.	100.1	66.4	31.9	29.6	23.8	8.6	3.2	13.8	277.3
Nov.	101.8	66.2	32.1	29.9	23.9	8.7	3.2	13.8	279.5
Dec.	102.1	66.6	32.6	29.6	21.7	8.4	3.2	13.9	278.3
PERSONS									
1971 - July	388.3	271.7	146.1	106.2	91.1	34.4	10.3	36.7	1,084.9
Aug.	389.1	271.3	146.3	106.2	91.0	34.4	10.3	36.7	1,085.4
Sept.	389.2	270.8	146.5	106.2	91.4	34.4	10.3	36.8	1,085.6
Oct.	389.5	270.9	146.2	106.2	91.7	34.4	10.3	36.8	1,086.0
Nov.	392.0	271.2	146.5	106.9	92.1	34.6	10.4	37.1	1,090.8
Dec.	397.5	274.0	148.4	107.6	90.6	34.5	10.5	37.3	1,100.5

(a) See note (a) page 4. State and local government employees (4.4 thousand persons in December 1971) engaged in agriculture or in private homes as employees of government emergency housekeeper services. Also excludes defence forces. (b) See NOTE on page 2 regarding the exclusion of trainee teachers.

2. EMPLOYEES IN LARGER PRIVATE FACTORIES

The employment figures in this section are obtained by means of a survey of larger private factories undertaken by joint arrangement between the Department of Labour and National Service and this Bureau. The survey covers practically all private factories with 100 or more employees and a large section of those with between 50 and 100 employees.

2. The results of the survey give an earlier indication of current monthly trends in private factory employment than is available from any other source, and the trends in employment in these larger private factories are broadly consistent with those shown by the subsequent estimates of total private factory employment.

3. Employers co-operating in the survey are asked to supply, as at the last pay-day in the month, the number of employees in the factory or on the factory office staff, providing their employment is directly related to manufacture. Selling and distribution staff are excluded.

4. Employment in factories in the industry group "food, drink and tobacco" is subject to considerable seasonal fluctuation. In order to isolate the effect of such seasonal movements, separate figures have been included in this section to show the movement in employment in factories other than food, drink and tobacco factories.

5. Note. In order to keep the survey as representative as possible, the list of factories included is revised at the beginning of each year. When comparing employment figures for different periods it should be noted that at any point of time a continuous monthly series on a uniform basis is available only from January of the previous year. This issue contains revised figures for the year 1971.

TABLE 11. - EMPLOYEES IN LARGER PRIVATE FACTORIES (a)

All industries

End of month		N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Australia
MALES								
1971	January	199,597	159,470	46,524	63,905	22,893	17,401	509,790
	February	199,522	160,070	47,967	64,139	22,999	17,441	512,138
	March	199,456	160,388	48,722	64,079	23,163	17,289	513,097
	April	198,332	158,292	49,656	b63,586	22,865	17,217	b509,948
	May	197,710	157,438	50,297	b63,448	22,391	17,112	b508,396
	June	197,876	156,716	51,605	64,564	22,327	17,142	510,230
	July	197,137	156,918	52,309	64,628	22,284	17,110	510,386
	August	b196,690	157,014	51,761	64,705	22,055	17,065	b509,290
	September	196,542	b156,096	51,200	64,115	22,068	16,820	b506,841
	October	196,165	156,863	50,951	64,511	22,050	16,750	507,290
	November	196,178	157,536	50,468	64,634	22,201	16,778	507,795
	December	195,747	157,668	49,362	64,230	22,163	16,959	506,129
1972	January	192,919	157,475	48,144	63,484	22,016	16,877	500,915
FEMALES								
1971	January	69,642	67,032	12,321	15,994	4,098	5,349	174,436
	February	71,213	69,313	12,518	16,060	4,172	5,366	178,642
	March	71,025	69,652	12,700	16,081	4,182	5,449	179,089
	April	69,639	66,699	12,978	15,012	4,166	5,418	173,912
	May	69,359	65,853	13,129	15,158	4,130	5,294	172,923
	June	69,203	65,050	13,209	15,401	4,122	5,246	172,231
	July	69,119	64,768	13,011	15,431	4,056	5,069	171,454
	August	68,808	65,322	13,084	15,488	4,053	4,985	171,740
	September	69,253	b64,795	12,659	15,589	4,093	4,788	b171,177
	October	69,606	65,111	12,617	15,845	4,182	4,913	172,274
	November	69,953	65,387	12,489	15,851	4,271	4,821	172,772
	December	69,360	65,200	12,402	15,835	4,254	4,914	171,965
1972	January	67,642	65,248	11,787	16,120	4,101	4,923	169,821
PERSONS								
1971	January	269,239	226,502	58,845	79,899	26,991	22,750	684,226
	February	270,735	229,383	60,485	80,199	27,171	22,807	690,780
	March	270,481	230,040	61,422	80,160	27,345	22,738	692,186
	April	267,971	224,991	62,634	b78,598	27,031	22,635	b683,860
	May	267,069	223,291	63,426	b78,606	26,521	22,406	b681,319
	June	267,079	221,766	64,814	79,965	26,449	22,388	682,461
	July	266,256	221,686	65,320	80,059	26,340	22,179	681,840
	August	b265,498	222,336	64,845	80,193	26,108	22,050	b681,030
	September	265,795	b220,891	63,859	79,704	26,161	21,608	b678,018
	October	265,771	221,974	63,568	80,356	26,232	21,663	679,564
	November	266,131	222,923	62,957	80,485	26,472	21,599	680,567
	December	265,107	222,868	61,764	80,065	26,417	21,873	678,094
1972	January	260,561	222,723	59,931	79,604	26,117	21,800	670,736

(a) Revised - see NOTE on page 16. (b) Affected by industrial disputes.

TABLE 12. - EMPLOYEES IN LARGER PRIVATE FACTORIES (a)

ALL INDUSTRIES EXCEPT FOOD, ETC.

End of month		N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Australia
MALES								
1971	January	181,228	135,136	33,456	59,297	19,992	14,755	443,864
	February	180,588	135,359	33,158	59,436	20,155	14,856	443,552
	March	180,466	135,397	33,318	59,402	20,230	14,770	443,583
	April	180,208	134,862	33,439	b59,378	19,978	14,683	b442,548
	May	179,446	134,578	33,355	b59,313	19,575	14,605	b440,872
	June	179,665	134,118	33,279	60,491	19,565	14,624	441,742
	July	178,909	133,957	33,080	60,539	19,502	14,617	440,604
	August	b178,502	134,050	33,167	60,600	19,339	14,619	b440,277
	September	178,234	133,930	33,415	59,981	19,314	14,453	439,327
	October	177,739	133,308	33,322	60,274	19,246	14,417	438,306
	November	177,349	133,541	33,583	60,340	19,239	14,480	438,532
	December	176,955	133,352	33,788	59,894	19,134	14,551	437,674
1972	January	174,035	132,596	33,879	58,946	19,048	14,366	432,870
FEMALES								
1971	January	61,047	55,977	9,113	12,688	2,738	4,018	145,581
	February	61,555	56,281	8,795	12,672	2,735	3,987	146,025
	March	61,342	56,349	8,757	12,783	2,740	4,025	145,996
	April	61,025	56,043	8,680	12,721	2,760	3,948	145,177
	May	60,855	55,622	8,526	12,825	2,712	3,826	144,366
	June	60,788	54,925	8,594	12,941	2,691	3,738	143,677
	July	60,598	54,583	8,600	13,029	2,663	3,703	143,176
	August	60,272	55,132	8,605	13,099	2,682	3,693	143,483
	September	60,558	54,881	8,473	13,165	2,692	3,636	143,405
	October	60,690	54,784	8,561	13,389	2,762	3,702	143,888
	November	60,718	54,958	8,547	13,453	2,830	3,778	144,284
	December	60,349	54,740	8,476	13,378	2,787	3,827	143,557
1972	January	58,701	53,820	8,193	13,134	2,675	3,675	140,198
PERSONS								
1971	January	242,275	191,113	42,569	71,985	22,730	18,773	589,445
	February	242,143	191,640	41,953	72,108	22,890	18,843	589,577
	March	241,808	191,746	42,075	72,185	22,970	18,795	589,579
	April	241,233	190,905	42,119	b72,099	22,738	18,631	b587,725
	May	240,301	190,200	41,881	b72,138	22,287	18,431	b585,238
	June	240,453	189,043	41,873	73,432	22,256	18,362	585,419
	July	239,507	188,540	41,680	73,568	22,165	18,320	583,780
	August	b238,774	189,182	41,772	73,699	22,021	18,312	b583,760
	September	238,792	188,811	41,888	73,146	22,006	18,089	582,732
	October	238,429	188,092	41,883	73,663	22,008	18,119	582,194
	November	238,067	188,499	42,130	73,793	22,069	18,258	582,816
	December	237,304	188,092	42,264	73,272	21,921	18,378	581,231
1972	January	232,736	186,416	42,072	72,080	21,723	18,041	573,068

(a) Revised - see NOTE on page 18. (b) Affected by industrial disputes.

TABLE 13. - EMPLOYEES IN LARGER PRIVATE FACTORIES : INDUSTRY GROUPS (a)

SIX STATES

Industry group	1971						1972
	Jan.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
MALES							
Building materials	43,754	b42,689	42,905	42,963	42,942	42,974	42,312
Basic metals	70,837	70,032	69,998	69,742	69,623	69,492	68,775
Transportation equipment	82,790	84,567	83,313	83,180	82,931	82,318	81,062
Other metal manufactures	117,894	117,338	117,769	117,079	117,071	116,983	115,720
Chemicals and allied products	24,666	23,789	23,729	23,697	23,864	23,926	23,934
Clothing and textiles	34,752	33,434	33,362	33,462	33,744	33,761	33,469
Food, drink and tobacco	65,926	69,013	b67,514	68,984	69,263	68,455	68,045
All other	69,171	68,428	68,251	68,183	68,357	68,220	67,598
Total -							
All groups	509,790	b509,290	b506,841	507,290	507,795	506,129	500,915
Excluding food, etc.	443,864	b440,277	439,327	438,306	438,532	437,674	432,870
FEMALES							
Building materials	5,183	5,222	5,303	5,304	5,348	5,330	5,248
Basic metals	4,859	4,916	4,889	4,855	4,853	4,900	4,874
Transportation equipment	10,822	11,556	11,628	11,665	11,653	11,489	11,186
Other metal manufactures	38,486	38,344	38,324	38,184	38,263	38,026	36,646
Chemicals and allied products	5,950	5,953	6,009	5,996	6,035	5,986	5,862
Clothing and textiles	57,996	55,204	55,127	55,467	55,616	55,445	54,702
Food, drink and tobacco	28,855	28,257	b27,772	28,386	28,488	28,408	29,623
All other	22,285	22,288	22,125	22,417	22,516	22,381	21,680
Total -							
All groups	174,436	171,740	b171,177	172,274	172,772	171,965	169,821
Excluding food, etc.	145,581	143,483	143,405	143,888	144,284	143,557	140,198
PERSONS							
Building materials	48,937	b47,911	48,208	48,267	48,290	48,304	47,560
Basic metals	75,696	74,948	74,887	74,597	74,476	74,392	73,649
Transportation equipment	93,612	96,123	94,941	94,845	94,584	93,807	92,248
Other metal manufactures	156,380	155,682	156,093	155,263	155,334	155,009	152,366
Chemicals and allied products	30,616	29,742	29,738	29,693	29,899	29,912	29,796
Clothing and textiles	92,748	88,638	88,489	88,929	89,360	89,206	88,171
Food, drink and tobacco	94,781	97,270	b95,286	97,370	97,751	96,863	97,668
All other	91,456	90,716	90,376	90,600	90,873	90,601	89,278
TOTAL -							
All groups	684,226	b681,030	b678,018	679,564	680,567	678,094	670,736
Excluding food, etc.	589,445	b583,760	582,732	582,194	582,816	581,231	573,068

(a) Revised - see NOTE on page 18. (b) Affected by industrial disputes.

3. - REGISTERED UNEMPLOYED AND NUMBER ON BENEFIT

TABLE 14. - PERSONS REGISTERED FOR EMPLOYMENT WITH COMMONWEALTH EMPLOYMENT SERVICE (a)

(Source : Department of Labour and National Service)

Date (b)	N.S.W. (c)	Vic.	Qld	S.A. (d)	W.A.	Tas.	Australia				
							Unemployed excluding school leavers (e)		Total unemployed		
							Original	Seasonally adjusted (f)	Original	Seasonally adjusted (f)	
MALES											
1969 June	10,964	8,262	7,008	3,481	2,284	1,305	32,535	30,343	33,304	34,543	
1970 June	9,751	8,193	5,433	3,854	3,476	1,160	31,157	29,101	31,867	33,007	
1971 June	13,705	12,010	5,743	5,097	4,723	1,726	41,902	39,166	43,004	45,252	
1971 Apr.	11,955	10,150	7,802	4,887	3,674	1,195	38,104	38,186	39,663	43,363	
May	13,575	11,078	6,414	5,392	4,067	1,366	40,716	38,388	41,892	43,735	
June	13,705	12,010	5,743	5,097	4,723	1,726	41,902	39,166	43,004	45,252	
July	13,703	12,278	5,109	5,009	4,793	1,750	41,572	40,736	42,642	47,258	
Aug.	13,523	12,160	4,923	4,751	4,692	1,825	40,737	43,927	41,874	51,091	
Sept.	14,582	12,449	5,194	4,699	4,387	2,038	42,103	50,630	43,349	58,436	
Oct.	12,869	12,706	4,910	4,389	4,680	1,905	40,112	50,323	41,459	57,337	
Nov.	24,755	14,266	6,830	4,284	5,366	1,709	43,506	51,514	57,210	59,405	
Dec.	28,768	23,300	11,867	8,134	7,168	2,786	54,662	50,781	82,023	58,042	
1972 Jan.	32,033	23,133	13,679	9,231	8,880	2,893	66,432	51,143	89,849	58,714	
FEMALES											
1969 June	7,313	4,992	3,900	2,819	1,723	815	20,299	18,417	21,562	22,613	
1970 June	6,776	4,815	3,152	2,506	1,671	728	18,695	16,980	19,648	20,213	
1971 June	7,904	5,868	3,669	2,878	1,960	956	22,118	20,100	23,235	23,930	
1971 Apr.	7,800	5,775	4,519	2,858	2,095	983	22,266	19,978	24,030	23,181	
May	7,715	5,596	3,877	2,762	1,932	1,028	21,652	19,423	22,910	22,764	
June	7,904	5,868	3,669	2,878	1,960	956	22,118	20,100	23,235	23,930	
July	7,406	5,523	3,264	2,767	1,764	937	20,636	20,105	21,661	24,217	
Aug.	6,990	5,104	2,716	2,591	1,742	831	18,975	20,400	19,974	24,811	
Sept.	7,067	5,387	2,854	2,539	1,645	838	19,310	21,742	20,330	26,414	
Oct.	7,804	5,316	2,769	2,386	1,808	788	19,746	22,493	20,871	27,041	
Nov.	13,689	5,766	3,478	2,509	2,194	868	20,760	23,293	28,504	28,790	
Dec.	13,045	11,826	4,869	4,282	2,783	1,746	19,793	24,922	38,551	30,871	
1972 Jan.	13,711	11,800	5,571	4,577	2,968	1,757	24,312	23,793	40,384	29,602	
PERSONS											
1969 June	18,277	13,254	10,908	6,300	4,007	2,120	52,834	48,738	54,866	57,017	
1970 June	16,527	13,008	8,585	6,360	5,147	1,888	49,852	46,046	51,515	52,954	
1971 June	21,609	17,878	9,412	7,975	6,683	2,682	64,020	59,171	66,239	68,479	
1971 Apr.	19,755	15,925	12,321	7,745	5,769	2,178	60,370	57,934	63,693	65,482	
May	21,290	16,674	10,291	8,154	5,999	2,394	62,368	57,670	64,802	65,734	
June	21,609	17,878	9,412	7,975	6,683	2,682	64,020	59,171	66,239	68,479	
July	21,109	17,801	8,373	7,776	6,557	2,687	62,208	60,773	64,303	70,858	
Aug.	20,513	17,264	7,639	7,342	6,434	2,656	59,712	64,503	61,848	75,553	
Sept.	21,649	17,836	8,048	7,238	6,032	2,876	61,413	72,298	63,679	84,279	
Oct.	20,673	18,022	7,679	6,775	6,488	2,693	59,858	72,089	62,330	83,398	
Nov.	38,444	20,032	10,308	6,793	7,560	2,577	64,266	74,466	85,714	88,073	
Dec.	41,813	35,126	16,736	12,416	9,951	4,532	74,455	76,732	120,574	90,104	
1972 Jan.	45,744	34,933	19,250	13,808	11,848	4,650	90,744	76,006	130,233	89,549	

(a) Persons who claimed, when registering with the Commonwealth Employment Service, that they were not employed and who were recorded as unplaced. Includes those referred to employers and those who may have obtained employment without notifying the C.E.S. Includes also persons receiving unemployment benefit (see Table 15). (b) Generally at Friday nearest end of month. (c) Includes the Australian Capital Territory. (d) Includes the Northern Territory. (e) "School-leavers" means persons under the age of 21 who, at the time of registering with the Service, (i) had ceased full-time primary or secondary education within the previous three months; or (ii) were still at school but notified the Commonwealth Employment Service that they would leave school before the end of the school year if a full-time job were available. (f) See paragraph "Seasonally Adjusted Series" at top of page 2.

TABLE 15. - PERSONS RECEIVING UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT (a)

(Source : Department of Social Services)

Month (a)	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Australia	
									Original	Seasonally adjusted (b)
MALES										
1969 June	2,965	2,519	3,149	1,090	226	381	2	12	10,344	9,839
1970 June	2,263	2,279	2,140	1,177	598	290	3	9	8,759	8,335
1971 June	3,699	4,230	2,203	1,779	1,146	608	6	21	13,692	12,766
1971 Feb.	2,572	2,048	4,415	1,412	660	264	22	27	11,420	10,162
Mar.	2,381	2,124	3,551	1,343	697	170	6	22	10,294	10,538
Apr.	3,079	2,723	3,423	1,613	705	225	3	31	11,802	12,192
May	3,504	3,517	2,700	1,962	845	359	3	30	12,920	12,940
June	3,699	4,230	2,203	1,779	1,146	608	6	21	13,692	12,766
July	3,961	4,351	1,953	1,703	1,315	704	4	11	14,002	13,945
Aug.	3,925	4,336	1,811	1,573	1,220	799	3	14	13,681	15,658
Sept.	4,098	4,605	1,799	1,551	1,254	916	4	18	14,245	18,900
Oct.	3,873	4,443	1,723	1,352	1,164	920	2	26	13,503	19,063
Nov.	4,455	4,985	1,953	1,469	1,517	827	7	50	15,263	19,323
Dec.	7,175	7,790	5,225	3,702	2,598	987	47	86	27,610	17,471
1972 Jan.	8,492	7,896	5,231	3,329	2,647	730	56	81	28,462	20,058
FEMALES										
1969 June	1,849	1,089	1,298	866	243	219	1	1	5,566	5,230
1970 June	1,541	814	953	618	205	147	2	4	4,284	4,039
1971 June	1,732	1,269	1,165	750	297	265	6	8	5,492	5,135
1971 Feb.	1,746	986	1,387	759	234	238	2	7	5,359	4,728
Mar.	1,647	1,077	1,419	663	251	132	1	20	5,210	4,488
Apr.	1,738	1,131	1,390	771	255	156	2	13	5,456	4,974
May	1,765	1,106	1,223	787	236	215	2	10	5,344	5,023
June	1,732	1,269	1,165	750	297	265	6	8	5,492	5,135
July	1,806	1,226	1,095	772	294	253	1	4	5,451	5,354
Aug.	1,770	1,173	907	677	263	263	1	6	5,060	5,695
Sept.	1,597	1,230	752	724	262	266	1	10	4,842	6,290
Oct.	1,512	1,174	810	640	225	295	1	11	4,668	6,182
Nov.	2,139	1,216	899	660	294	321	4	29	5,562	6,415
Dec.	3,046	1,980	1,469	1,357	546	396	6	31	8,831	7,790
1972 Jan.	3,007	2,197	1,467	1,381	545	395	5	27	9,024	7,896
PERSONS										
1969 June	4,814	3,608	4,447	1,956	469	600	3	13	15,910	15,099
1970 June	3,804	3,093	3,093	1,795	803	437	5	13	13,043	12,403
1971 June	5,431	5,499	3,368	2,529	1,443	873	12	29	19,184	17,939
1971 Feb.	4,318	3,034	5,802	2,171	894	502	24	34	16,779	14,790
Mar.	4,028	3,201	4,970	2,006	948	302	7	42	15,504	14,846
Apr.	4,817	3,854	4,813	2,384	960	381	5	44	17,258	17,052
May	5,269	4,623	3,923	2,749	1,081	574	5	40	18,264	17,932
June	5,431	5,499	3,368	2,529	1,443	873	12	29	19,184	17,939
July	5,767	5,577	3,048	2,475	1,609	957	5	15	19,453	19,341
Aug.	5,695	5,509	2,718	2,250	1,483	1,062	4	20	18,741	21,388
Sept.	5,695	5,835	2,551	2,275	1,516	1,182	5	28	19,087	24,976
Oct.	5,385	5,617	2,533	1,992	1,389	1,215	3	37	18,171	25,160
Nov.	6,594	6,201	2,852	2,129	1,811	1,148	11	79	20,825	25,585
Dec.	10,221	9,770	6,694	5,059	3,144	1,383	53	117	36,441	25,739
1972 Jan.	11,499	10,093	6,698	4,710	3,192	1,125	61	108	37,486	28,278

(a) Number on benefit at Saturday nearest the end of the month. (b) See paragraph "Seasonally Adjusted Series" at top of page 2.

4. - JOB VACANCIES

TABLE 16. - VACANCIES REGISTERED WITH COMMONWEALTH EMPLOYMENT SERVICE (a)

(Source : Department of Labour and National Service)

Date (b)		N.S.W. (c)	Vic.	Qld	S.A. (d)	W.A.	Tas.	Australia	
								Original	Seasonally adjusted (e)
VACANCIES FOR MALES									
1969	June	7,621	6,223	1,169	1,931	2,955	580	20,479	26,504
1970	June	10,139	5,788	1,652	1,750	2,141	649	22,119	28,666
1971	June	7,564	3,890	2,041	1,723	1,653	453	17,324	22,467
1971	Feb.	13,662	8,717	1,554	2,074	2,771	998	29,776	26,869
	Mar.	11,257	5,990	1,826	1,880	2,462	698	24,113	23,770
	Apr.	9,546	5,044	1,819	1,646	2,305	537	20,897	23,321
	May	8,304	4,428	1,928	1,923	1,816	560	18,959	22,707
	June	7,564	3,890	2,041	1,723	1,653	453	17,324	22,467
	July	7,990	3,864	1,962	1,994	1,503	477	17,790	22,604
	Aug.	8,350	3,937	1,881	2,173	1,668	427	18,436	22,177
	Sept.	8,285	3,934	2,053	2,011	1,679	545	18,507	19,839
	Oct.	10,419	3,970	2,320	1,904	1,476	553	20,642	19,496
	Nov.	13,383	4,756	2,514	1,435	1,490	822	24,400	20,559
	Dec.	11,431	7,377	1,826	2,468	1,229	791	25,122	19,854
	1972	Jan.	8,397	9,662	1,873	2,223	1,145	726	24,026
VACANCIES FOR FEMALES									
1969	June	6,432	5,554	888	630	831	182	14,517	17,914
1970	June	7,535	6,538	1,588	745	1,065	275	17,746	21,847
1971	June	6,059	5,338	1,264	873	687	226	14,447	17,765
1971	Feb.	8,100	8,035	1,400	1,059	1,204	405	20,203	19,585
	Mar.	6,770	6,154	1,231	1,007	1,042	220	16,424	17,703
	Apr.	6,266	5,896	1,283	897	988	215	15,545	17,746
	May	6,644	5,638	1,187	915	801	282	15,467	18,145
	June	6,059	5,338	1,264	873	687	226	14,447	17,765
	July	6,562	5,581	1,438	921	713	207	15,422	17,674
	Aug.	6,844	5,731	1,493	1,045	854	270	16,237	16,327
	Sept.	7,458	5,962	1,532	1,125	868	312	17,257	16,231
	Oct.	9,765	6,196	1,700	1,119	860	252	19,892	17,539
	Nov.	8,776	6,258	1,517	960	714	361	18,586	16,694
	Dec.	7,881	8,517	1,338	1,358	708	446	20,248	17,303
	1972	Jan.	6,245	8,578	1,441	1,331	831	408	18,834
TOTAL VACANCIES									
1969	June	14,053	11,777	2,057	2,561	3,786	762	34,996	44,453
1970	June	17,674	12,326	3,240	2,495	3,206	924	39,865	50,635
1971	June	13,623	9,228	3,305	2,596	2,340	679	31,771	40,353
1971	Feb.	21,762	16,752	2,954	3,133	3,975	1,403	49,979	46,442
	Mar.	18,027	12,144	3,057	2,887	3,504	918	40,537	40,905
	Apr.	15,812	10,940	3,102	2,543	3,293	752	36,442	41,059
	May	14,948	10,066	3,115	2,838	2,617	842	34,426	40,909
	June	13,623	9,228	3,305	2,596	2,340	679	31,771	40,353
	July	14,552	9,445	3,400	2,915	2,216	684	33,212	40,557
	Aug.	15,194	9,668	3,374	3,218	2,522	697	34,673	38,848
	Sept.	15,743	9,896	3,585	3,136	2,547	857	35,764	36,429
	Oct.	20,184	10,166	4,020	3,023	2,336	805	40,534	37,391
	Nov.	22,159	11,014	4,031	2,395	2,204	1,183	42,986	37,095
	Dec.	19,312	15,894	3,164	3,826	1,937	1,237	45,370	36,925
	1972	Jan.	14,642	18,240	3,314	3,554	1,976	1,134	42,860

(a) Vacancies which employers claimed were available immediately or would be available by the end of the following calendar month. (b) Generally at Friday nearest end of month. (c) Includes the Australian Capital Territory. (d) Includes the Northern Territory. (e) See paragraph "Seasonally Adjusted Series" at top of page 2.

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